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SUBJECT:ALLIANCE EAST-WEST STUDY -- MAY 17 SPC MEETING

REFS: (A) MAY 16 GLITMAN-LEDOGAR TELCON; (B) STATE 123856;
(C) STATE 110029; (D) USNATO 4828

1. WE WERE GRATIFIED TO HEAR (REF A) THAT COMPROMISES
ACHIEVED AD REFERENDUM AT MAY 16 NAC-SPC MEETINGS MAY
PERMIT CONCLUSION OF ALLIANCE EAST-WEST STUDY IN NEXT
FEW DAYS. WE BELIEVE ALLIES SHOULD MOVE URGENTLY TO
PREPARATION OF UNCLASSIFIED DOCUMENT TO BE RELEASED JUNE
ONE (REF C), PARTICULARLY IN VIEW OF REF A REPORT THAT AT
LEAST ONE ALLY (BELGIUM) MAY OBJECT TO SUCH A RELEASE.

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2. IN VIEW OF MISSION CONCLUSION (REFS A AND D) THAT OUR
PREFERRED OPTION FOR CLASSIFICATION AND RELEASE OF PART III
ITSELF IN SANITIZED FORM WOULD PROBABLY BE OPPOSED BY AT
LEAST SEVERAL ALLIES, WE CONCUR IN RECOMMENDATION THAT US
SHOULD AIM FOR SHORTER, SEPARATE UNCLASSIFIED RELEASE
WHICH WOULD DRAW VERY HEAVILY ON PART III. MISSION SHOULD

THEREFORE TAKE UP SPC CHAIRMAN SUGGESTION (REF A) THAT
INTERNATIONAL STAFF IMMEDIATELY PREPARE SUCH A DRAFT FOR
ALLIED CONSIDERATION. MISSION SHOULD SEEK TO FINESSE

BELGIAN, OR OTHER ALLIED, OBJECTION, IF RAISED AGAIN,
BY SUGGESTING SPC FIRST LOOK AT IS DRAFT BEFORE FINAL
DETERMINATION WHETHER SUCH RELEASE IS POSSIBLE.

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